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WASHINGTON, DC 20463

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Walter E. Combs Treasurer Paul Williams Campaign 9523 Meadowcroft Houston, TX 77063

RE: MUR 5359

Paul Williams Campaign and Walter E. Combs, in his official

capacity as treasurer

Dear Mr. Combs:

On February 16, 2005, the Federal Election Commission accepted the signed conciliation agreement and the civil penalty you submitted on behalf of the Paul Williams Campaign and yourself, in your official capacity as treasurer, in settlement of a violation of 2 U.S.C. § 432(h)(2), a provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Accordingly, the file has been closed in this matter.

Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). Information derived in connection with any conciliation attempt will not become public without the written consent of the respondent and the Commission. <u>See</u> 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4)(B).

Enclosed you will find a copy of the fully executed conciliation agreement for your files. If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Jack Gould

Attorney

Enclosure
Conciliation Agreement

cc: Paul Williams